GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Office of the Deputy Mayor for Education



MEMORANDUM

TO: Adrian M. Fenty, Mayor

FROM: Victor Reinoso, Deputy Mayor for Education

DATE: 11.29.07

SUBJECT: Action Items from Interagency Commission Session on 11.28.07

On November 28, 2007, Mayor Adrian M. Fenty conducted an Interagency Commission and Services Integration Commission (ICSIC) Session on Goal 4: Children and Youth Engage in Meaningful Activities. The Children and Youth Investment Trust Corporation and the Department of Parks and Recreation were the lead agencies. This memo identifies specific action items the agency directors committed to accomplish in order to improve government services in their respective agencies.

Joint Responsibility: Children and Youth Investment Trust Corporation, Department of Parks and Recreation, District of Columbia Public Schools

- Develop strategies to redirect money from low performing programs to more effective ones (timeline: 1 month)
- Develop mechanism to measure participation rate uniformly (timeline: 1 month).
- Develop plan to track consistency and quality of out-of-school time programs (timeline: 1 month)

Joint Responsibility: District of Columbia Public Schools and Office of the Chief Technology Officer

• Establish a work pipeline opportunity for youth to learn computer operation skills (timeline: 1 month)

Children and Youth Investment Trust Corporation

• Review funding philosophy and support for programs who meet enrollment projections (timeline: 2 weeks).

Department of Parks and Recreation

- Develop plan for improving basketball session (timeline: 2 weeks).
- Develop strategy for non-profit to operate recreation programs (timeline: 1 month).
- Set target participation in winter sports programs for youth 13 and older (timeline: 2 weeks)

Department of Employment Services

• Connect summer and year-round youth employment opportunities with government agencies and community organizations that support youth (timeline: 1 month).